

Sources Indicating Proportion Negroes Formed of
Relief Population During the Depression (1933-1941)

Source of information about Negroes on relief in New Jersey	Indicated per- centage of Negroes in relief population
FERA Unemployment Relief Census Report No. 1, New Jersey Data, October 1933, Found on page 44	19%
NJERA Relief Research Project, Representative sample of 10,000 families, data as of April 1934, <u>Neighbors in Need</u> , page 11	26.5
NJERA Relief research Project, representative sample of 5,000 families, Data as of May 1934, <u>Toward Shelter Security</u> , page 9	23.0
NJERA Survey of Occupational Characteristics of Relief Population, data as of March 1935, unpublished	24.6
<u>MacNeill Seven Years of Unemployment Relief in New Jersey</u> composite estimate derived from accumulated information in NJERA files	23.5
<u>NJ Municipal Aid Administration Who Is On Relief in New Jersey</u> data as of March 31, 1941, page 7	24.0

Expenditures for Public Assistance in New Jersey 1930-1938
With Estimated Amounts Devoted to Aid Extended to Negroes

Year	Gross expenditures for relief purposes ^a	Estimated cost of Negro relief ^b
1930	\$6,161,150	\$1,450,000
1931	16,534,112	3,875,000
1932	26,072,840	6,125,000
1933	44,618,934	10,475,000
1934	93,085,445	21,875,000
1935	90,767,887	21,325,000
1936	121,839,383	28,625,000
1937	119,928,388	28,175,000
1938	146,711,909	34,475,000
1939	129,206,031	30,375,000

^aTaken from Stafford, Government and the Needy, p 146

^bEquals approximately 23.5 per cent of figures in first column